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August 29, 2002

Mr. William E. Muno
Director, Superfund Division
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Region 5
77 W. Jackson Boulevard
Chicago, IL 60604-3590

RE: Ellsworth Industrial Park Site.

Downers Grove, Illinois

Dear Mr. Muno:

Arrow Gear Company ("Arrow") is in receipt of the agency's General Notice Letter dated August 01, 2002 in connection with the Ellsworth Industrial Park Site (the "Site") in Downers Grove, Illinois. Assuming that a viable PRP group is formed, Arrow is willing to participate in group discussions regarding the performance or financing of a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study at the site.

Please direct all future correspondence to the undersigned until further notice.

Very truly yours,

ARROW GEAR COMPANY

James E. Pielsticker,

Executive Vice President

Cc: Thomas Krueger/U.S. EPA ¥